Rocks

JULY 14 - All are thankful for the recent showers of rain. They were so badly needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ranson have returned from a vacation in Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Strode Burks, of Tennessee, accompanied them there.

Mrs. Flora Dickerson and Christine were visiting Mrs. J. Mott Harvey at Evergreen one afternoon last week.

Cassie Baldwin called to see Mr. and Mrs. Hutson Dickerson, of Brookneal, last Monday afternoon and attended the Executive Board Meeting at Brookneal Baptist Church that night.

A number attended the barbecue, camp-out and breakfast at Clyde and Faye Webbers Friday night.

Toby Inge returned home Friday from the hospital. A speedy recovery is wished him.

Bill Caldwell, Mike Richardson and Timmy Almond were players on the Pamplin Minor League Team with James Martin and Ronnie Richardson, coach last week.

Congratulations to Mike Richardson who was chosen on the All Star Team and participated in the Minor League Tournament, also.

Mrs. Violos Franklin, of Spout Spring, Va., was visiting in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Franklin and family Sunday. She accompanied them to the church service at Rocks Sunday morning.

Mike Richardson was visiting with Randall Franklin, of Appomattox, Sunday.

The Rocks Quartet went to sing at Maranantha Baptist Church in Farmville Sunday morning and on to Buckingham that afternoon. The singers are dedicated Christians with a message for all in song.

Mrs. Pearl Wilson and granddaughter, Diane Harvey, will spend a few days in Norfolk with the former's brother, Ernest Ranson and family.

A number will attend 4-H Camp at Holiday Lake this week and at Hat Creek.

Raymond Moore and friends, of New York, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore, of Pamplin.

A number attended the Baptismal Service at Evergreen Church Sunday afternoon. Three more additions to Rocks Baptist Church.

It was good to see Sallie Scruggs back at Rocks Sunday night for Training Union and preaching service.

We had special music by the two youth choirs, a new quartet, Thomas Ranson, Auden Roach, Mrs. Kenneth Richardson and Mrs. Joe Almond and little Amy Morris furnished us with a solo. Last was a duet by Cindy Roach and Jane Almond.

The pastor, Rev. Donald Wagner brought a fine message.

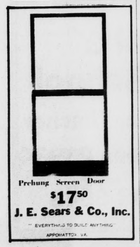
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin, who won a Christmas Cactus from Superior Trees Nursery on their anniversary Monday.

Chestnut Grove

The Holiness Gospel Singers of Pamplin rendered a service for the Chesnut Grove Baptist Church in Appomattox Sunday, July 12, at 7:30 p.m. for the church building fund. A small crowd attended due to the weather condition but it was enjoyed by all that were present.

Regular preaching service will be held on Sunday, July 20, at 11:30 a.m. with the pastor at his post. Everyone is welcome to come into the house of the Lord.

Rev. K. W. Davis and choir will be at the St. Luke Baptist Church on Sunday, July 20 at 6 p.m. Members and friends please come out and help with this service.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WIGWAM SWEET PEAS 4 LB CANS $1.00
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Blueprint For Conservation Emphasized On Farm Tour

One hundred ten farmers, bankers and professional agriculturalist from Amherst, Appomattox, Campbell Counties and Lynchburg toured the Long Island - Gladys area Wednesday on the Robert E. Lee Soil Conservation District - Fidelity National Bank's farm tour. Farming programs based on a conservation plan were emphasized.

Stopping at Whitehall Farm, Jim Britt and son, Steve, showed their modern swine operation. Animal waste from the 30 stall farrowing house empties into a 1.2 acre lagoon designed by the Soil Conservation Service. As the 2 million gallon capacity lagoon fills it can be used for cropland irrigation.

The planned 250 acre cropping system to support the more than 1,100 swine enterprise was reviewed. Jim Britt displayed his chisel plow which has completely replaced his conventional plows.

"The chisel plow is the next best conservation tool to soil planting" said Allan Hunter, Extension Agent, Campbell County. Hunter went on to explain that sod planting was the best practice where resistant weeds and army-worms could be controlled but the chisel plowing was also a good conservation practice. Chisel plowing leaves the mulch on the surface where it reduces erosion and holds moisture. Britt added that a farmer needs at least an 80 horsepower tractor to pull a chisel plow.

As the group looked at Britt's flock of sheep, Jim Smith, Extension Agent, Appomattox, discussed goat and cattle farming. Sheep are now more profitable than cattle and sheep numbers in Virginia increased last year for the first time in decades.

While the group looked admiringly at the 175 year old Whitehall mansion Jim Britt related some of its history. It is one of the best preserved historic homes in the area.

Bob McClenny of the USDA Soil Conservation Service pointed out the unique geology and soils in the Long Island area. "Geologists believe this triassic area was the last of the inland seas. They believe these seas dried up 150-175 million years ago. The maroon shale is actually mud which settled out in the water and hardened into rock", McClenny said.

Continuing to Carl Simpson's Long Island Ranch the group saw a planned grassland program. Bob McClenny showed how grasses that grow during the warm season can provide lush green grazing when cool season grasses such as fescue are dormant. Hybrid bermudagrass is the best warm season plant we have. It must be established by planting the rhizomes since the seed are sterile. Simpson commented that his 75 acre planting of midland bermudagrass was just over a year old and producing excellent grazing. Simpson fertilizes his fescue pastures in August to stimulate more fall growth for fall and winter grazing.

Long Island Ranch is mostly breeding Simmental cattle, an exotic breed. Simpson pointed out that he selected this breed because it performed well on grass.

Many pastures in the district are overstocked and overgraze ed to the point that the cattle gain poorly and desirable plants are killed. Jerry McCoy with Chevron Chemical Co. displayed a zip seeder and illustrated its many uses in reseeding pastures.

Proceeding on to Gladys to Hutcherson's farm, McClenny noted that this was the third time conservation tours had been conducted here. "No matter how conservation minded group would pass up the chance to again see just about the ultimate in agricultural conservation and management," he said. A conservation plan was developed for this farm and contour strip farming system on their more than 160 acres of rotated crops has been practiced more than 25 years. Conservation specialists have estimated annual soil loss from the 160 acres of cropland to be a little over 1 ton or 18 bushels per acre. This is three times less soil loss than the land can tolerate and not deteriorate. If the cropland was cropped continuously without the benefit of conservation practices, the farm would average losing 17-20 tons or 300-360 bushels of soil per acre annually. This would equal losing an inch of soil every 7½ years. "If everyone applied conservation like John and Fred Hutcherson our streams would be clear today," McClenny noted.

Host for the evening program was William Campbell High School Agriculture Department. Tour Chairman,

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YOUTH ASSOCIATION SETS DATE FOR FOOTBALL REGISTRATION

The Appomattox County Youth Association will hold football registration on Saturday, August 2, 1975 from 10 a.m. until noon in front of the Appomattox Primary School.

There will be a registration fee of $3.00 for those signing up for football.

Weight limits for boys 8 through 12 years of age is up to 120 pounds and for boys who are 13 years old the weight limit is 95 pounds.

PAMPLIN WILL GET NEW POST OFFICE

PHILADELPHIA, PA - The U. S. Postal Service announced today it has posted invitations for bids to construct three new post offices in the State of Virginia.

The three new post offices, county in which located, and recommended site sizes are: Goochland 23063 - Goochland - 125' x 175' or 21,875 sq. ft.; McKenny 23872 - Dinwiddie - 100' x 150' or 15,000 sq. ft.; Pamplin 23958 - Appomattox - 100' x 175' or 17,500 sq. ft.

The space offered for postal purposes should be located within the present general business districts of each post office.

Bidders may offer either existing space, space to be modified, or facilities to be constructed.

The Postal Service will lease the facilities from the successful bidder for a basic term of 10 years with three successive five-year options to renew.

Information on plans and specifications may be obtained from Dillard H. Horton, Jr., Real Estate Officer, U. S. Postal Service, 203 N. Saratoga Street, Suffolk, VA 23434 - telephone a/c 804-539-0293.

Deadline for submission of bids to the Suffolk, Virginia Office is 2:00 P.M., Thursday, August 7, 1975.

Clinic Set For Athletic Physicals

All Appomattox County High School students who wish to participate IN ANY SPORT during the 1975-76 school year must have a Physical Examination.

A free clinic has been set for Tuesday, August 5, 1975 for boys. The doctors in the community have volunteered their services and there will not be a make up Clinic.

Students are to pick up physical forms prior to this date at the Coach's office, as these forms must be signed by your parents. The clinic will be held at Appomattox County High School in the gymnasium at 4 p.m.

Junior Varsity players may take advantage of this Clinic also.

A similar clinic will be held for girls on August 26.

Bloodmobile Visit Set For Tuesday

When the Red Cross Bloodmobile makes its first visit of the new fiscal year to Appomattox Tuesday the seven persons shown above will be present to donate another unit of their blood, a unit of blood that may save a life!

The donors shown above, left to right on front row, are Marcella Lively, a 3 unit donor; Delores Bagby, a 2 unit donor; and Frances Tolley, a 7 unit donor; and on the back row, left to right, are Leonard McCormick, a donor of 8 units of blood; Kenneth Marston, an 8 unit donor; Ronald Carter, who has donated 13 units; and James Ryan, a donor of 10 units.

Quota Set At 102 Units

The need for blood does not lessen during the summer months - in fact, sometimes it even increases due to the larger number of automobile accidents reported with the increased volume of traffic on the highways.

We surely hope that our number of blood donors does not lessen during the summer months - we hope that it, too, will increase.

The quota for this, the first visit of the new fiscal year is set at 102 units of blood. The Bloodmobile will set up at Liberty Baptist Church and will be there from noon until 6 p.m.

The Junior Woman's Club of Appomattox sponsors the blood program in Appomattox County. The Rev. Earnie Lucas is Chairman of the Blood Program assisted by Mrs. Lucy Harvey and Mrs. Mary Katherine Whitehead, representative of the Junior Woman's Club.

The Canteen at this visit will be provided by the Home Demonstration Club. A nursery will be provided during the hours of the bloodmobile visit for parents who wish to donate blood. Seventeen year olds are once again reminded that they may donate blood with parental consent.

YOUR GIFT OF LIFE MAY HELP TO . . . replace blood lost by an accident victim; make it possible for a sick child to run and play; enable an elderly patient to withstand surgery; or give a newborn baby a healthy start in life. IT GIVES YOU A WARM FEELING DOWNSTREAM.

Plan now to donate a unit of blood on Tuesday and remember . . . **You must be dying to give blood, but some day you may be dying to receive it.**"

Jaycees Plan Ninth Annual Radio Day

On Sunday, August 17, the Appomattox County Jaycees will hold their Ninth Annual Jaycee Radio Day on WFLO Radio in Farmville. The Jaycees will begin selling advertisements to area businesses July 21,1975 and will continue the ad sales through August 6. If for any reason you are not contacted by a Jaycee and would like to participate, please contact Addison Elder at Evans Barber Shop.

Inflation? No way!! The prices of these ads are the same as they were in 1967. Additionally, the program has changed very little. The Jaycees like to think that the businessmen are getting a better deal each year and they probably are.

So when that Jaycee comes by soliciting ads tell him you will participate. Help the Jaycees to help Appomattox. Our future is here.

Child Abuse & Neglect Of Concern To Virginians

RICHMOND - Governor Mills E. Godwin, Jr. said recently that a special unit has been established in the Department of Welfare to handle "around the clock" reports of suspected child abuse or neglect situations.

According to the Governor, an integral part of the new operation is a toll-free telephone number, 1-800-552-7096, where complaints from throughout the Commonwealth can be received 24-hours a day, 7 days a week.

When a complaint is received, the new Bureau of Child Protective Services contacts the appropriate local welfare or social service office and requests an immediate investigation into the situation.

There are 123 local offices, each of which is required to 24-hours a day to handle such emergent situations.

After completing the investigation, the local office reports back to the Bureau of Child Protective Services.

Of Interest To Food Stamp Recipients

Persons receiving Social Security, SSI, or Railroad Retirement may expect a change in their Food Stamp Purchase Requirement which will correspond with the increase in benefits, according to an announcement from Appomattox County Department of Social Services.

This change will be effective by August 1, 1975.

"Jaycees Help The Bagby's"

Several weeks ago, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman (Luke) Bagby was completely destroyed by fire. Nothing was saved. All of their clothes, furniture, kitchen ware and other household articles were destroyed. In addition to the fire, Mr. Bagby has been hospitalized at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond for an extended period of time.

The Appomattox County Jaycees last week adopted a project to try to help Mr. and Mrs. Bagby recover from their tremendous loss. Union Baptist Church (in the Togs Community) is coordinating efforts in that area to try to raise funds with which to purchase the Bagby family a mobile home.

The Jaycees have started the drive in the Appomattox area by donating one hundred dollars ($100.00) toward the purchase of this mobile home. The Jaycees are requesting that any other civic organizations, churches, businesses or individuals in the Appomattox County area that wish to contribute to this fund please mail checks or money orders to the Appomattox County Jaycees, P.O. Box 265, Appomattox, Va. 24522. Att: J. M. Webb.

Additionally, anyone having any kitchenware or household furnishings they would like to contribute, please carry these items by the Town of Appomattox office building. These items will be left in the Firemen's Game Room. Also any clothes or shoes of the following sizes may be left at the Town Office.

Mr. Bagby - Slacks 36" waist - 31" length

Mr. Bagby - Shirts 16½

Mr. Bagby - Shoes - 9½

Mrs. Bagby - Dress 24½

The citizens of Appomattox County are urged to help the Jaycees in their efforts to get the Bagby family back on their feet. Won't you help?

McCraw-Hartzel Win In Scramble

Mary Louise McCraw and her partner, Gene Hertzel took first place in the 9-hole "Couples Golf Scramble" held at Falling River Country Club Sunday afternoon when they posted a score of 37 for the 9 holes of play.

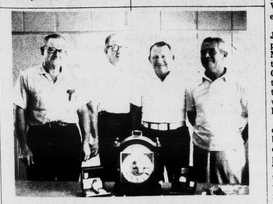
Second place in the tournament went to Barbara Guill and partner, G. H. Jamerson who scored a 40 for the 9 holes of play. Posting scores of 44, Jane Lyons and Tony Guill tied with Pat Torrence and Carroll Goodrich for third place; matched cards gave third place to Lyons and Guill. Mary Leffers and her partner, Bob Hubbard took fifth place with a score of 45.

The "Duffers" prize went to Alice Reinertsen and her partner, John Fedison.

Steve Lawson took the honors for the longest drive on #9 and Barbara Guill had the longest drive for the ladies on #8.

Awards were given to all winners listed above.

With twenty-four couples participating in this event, it was the largest and most successful "Scramble" yet to be held at the club.



TRANSCO Employees Receive Awards

On Friday, July 18, 1975, four employees at Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation, Compressor Station 170 in Appomattox received awards for twenty-five years service with the company.

In an awards ceremony held at the station, V. O. Mims, Plant Superintendent, presented a "Westminster chimes" Bulova clock to J. Lloyd Hudson, right above, who completed his twenty-five years July 18, 1975. Completing their twenty-five years on July 19, 1975 were A. A. Bohannan, left above, and William Mitchell, second from the right; Edwin Carter, second from the left, marks his twenty-fifth year with Transco today, July 24, 1975. These three men received Acutron wrist watches.

Several other employees at Transco will be eligible for awards in the next few months.

Lions Club Will Meet Tonight

The Lions Club of Appomattox will meet tonight, Thursday at 6:45 p.m. at Maudes Restaurant.

A presentation on the use of polygraph equipment by R.P. "Spike" Rainey, Virginia State Police, is among the program features for the evening.

All Lions will want to attend this most interesting meeting.

Farm Bureau To Hold Annual Picnic

The Appomattox County Farm Bureau will hold its annual family picnic Saturday, August 2, 1975 at 7 p.m. at Holiday Lake, according to an announcement from Bertha Jones, Secretary. Farm Bureau will furnish ham, drinks, plates, etc. Members are asked to bring other foods their families enjoy.

The Women's Committee is sponsoring an Arts and Crafts Exhibit. If you have items for display or for sale, please bring them with you or get them to Susie Krantz (993-2960) or Virginia Martin (248-6508). All eligible Farm Bureau children under 10 years of age and under are encouraged to enter the "Farm Family Life Poster Contest". They must be submitted by July 30 to the Extension Office. All posters will be on display at the picnic and prizes will be presented at that time.

Susan Oliver, one of GLAMOUR Magazine's Top Ten College Women, was the first youth to be elected to any state political convention upon the ratification of the 26th Amendment to the Federal Constitution.

Susan Oliver Named Winner In National College Contest

NEW YORK, N. Y. - **Glamour** Magazine announces that Susan Oliver, a senior at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in Blacksburg, Va., has been named as a winner in the Top Ten College Women Contest of 1975. Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Oliver of Red House, Va.

Glamour's Top Ten College Women Contest is an annual search for outstanding college students who represent the finest of today's active, involved women on campuses across the United States. Interested students and their respective colleges were invited to participate in the contest. Candidates were judged on the basis of their campus and community activities, awards and scholastic achievements, leadership abilities, and work experiences. From among nearly seven hundred applicants who entered the contest, ten finalists and eight honorable mentions were chosen by a panel of **Glamour** editors.

On campus Susan is serving as the designated member from the Greek Affairs Subcommittee representing the Interfraternity Council and the Panhellenic Council on the university's various governing boards. She is also president of the Panhellenic Council.

Susan is Director of Faculty and Student Public Relations for the Honor System and serves on the Commission of Student Affairs, the Traffic Committee, and the university's committee for the selection for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. In addition, she recently received one of the five appointed positions to serve on the

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Legion Post 104 Annual Picnic

Appomattox American Legion Post 104 will hold its annual picnic dinner for Legion members, their wives and children on Monday evening, July 28 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Post Home on Oakleigh Avenue.

Following the dinner, officers for the coming year will be installed.

Reservations are to be made with Ronald C. Spiggle, Adjutant, no later than July 24, 1975. Members are urged to attend.